

**June 2004  
Early Action Compact Progress Report**



**County Name:** Greenville

<b>Was the Local Early Action Plan for the county submitted to DHEC by March 31, 2004?</b>	Yes
<b>In April 2004, what did EPA designate the county for the 8-hour ozone standard?</b>	Nonattainment, whole county

**1. In an effort to keep our contact information updated; please provide the following information for your county:**

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**2. Describe any progress (if applicable) since your March 2004 submittal? (stakeholder meetings, events held; special projects; etc.)**

- a. On June 24th 2004, from 9:00 AM until noon in the auditorium of the Zentrum at BMW the Upstate Air Quality Steering Committee will host an Air Quality information meeting. Invitees include Congressional representatives, legislative delegation members, and County Councils members from Anderson, Greenville, Spartanburg, Pickens, Oconee and Cherokee. The discussion topics will include the:
- ?? status of the Upstate Air Quality situation,
  - ?? recently imposed non-attainment designation,
  - ?? Early Action Compact (EAC),
  - ?? 24 strategies in the Early Action Compact,
  - ?? DHEC air quality modeling results
  - ?? Strategies with the greatest potential to improve air quality in the Upstate
- b. The Staffs of the Greenville County Planning Commission, The Greenville Transit Authority and the Greater Greenville Chamber of Commerce have begun a joint effort to develop a feasibility study for Park-in-Ride program and / or a Ride-Share program for

Greenville County. Greenville County Staff members will share all information with the staffs of Anderson and Spartanburg counties.

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- c. Staff made available the complete list of strategies for public review and comments through the Greenville County Library System and the Greenville County Planning Commission from March 29, 2004 to May 31, 2004. Responses to the notice have been positive but limited. Less than 25 people have either called or sent letters.

**3. Do you have any requests for specific assistance from DHEC and/or the EPA (outreach services, grants, etc.)?**

Greenville County requests assistance from both the State and Federal governments in obtaining grants for the implementation of some strategies to improve air quality in the Upstate, such as and educational campaign, i.e., printing brochures, air time on TV and movie theatres, public service announcements, etc.

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**4. Name of Person Completing Progress Report:** John H. Owings Jr.

**Date:** June 4, 2004

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